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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Conversation with Senator Henry Jackson, Ms. Fosdick,  
and Mr. Richard Perle, 6 October 1978

1. In the course of a discussion on the possible compromise of classified materials as a result of transmissions of such material from [redacted] of the CIA to Mr. Richard Perle of Senator Jackson's office, the following arrangements were reached: 25X1

- a. Senator Jackson gave his personal pledge of responsibility for Mr. Perle and his future actions in handling classified material.
- b. Mr. Perle gave his personal pledge that he would adhere to the established control procedures with regard to handling classified materials between himself and the CIA in the future.
- c. Mr. Perle returned a package of classified materials to Mr. Hitz of the CIA.
- d. Mr. Perle certified that the materials returned to Mr. Hitz were all of the materials he had on hand from the CIA, but clearly indicated there might be more that he had received from other sources. (I subsequently notified the Secretary of Defense to this effect on the same date.)
- e. I agreed that we would review the procedures by which we make materials available to Members of Congress other than the Select Committees and come back to Senator Jackson and Mr. Perle. Senator Jackson pointed out that the present procedures are sometimes erratic. He also did

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not like to have to go to the Senate Select Committee to obtain his materials. He preferred that we put them in storage for him at the [ ] secure vault next to the Senate Select Committee's hearing rooms in the Capitol.

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2. There was also a discussion on whether NIEs could and should be made available to Congressional staff and to Members of Congress. This was inconclusive. I feel an obligation to pursue this further.

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